



## Weekly Poultry and Egg Market Update

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### Broilers

Supply Usually sufficient with heavier weights in close balance.  
Demand Fair to moderate at best for retail and food service.  
Sentiment Generally steady.  
Price 62.94 this week; 63.66 last week; 71.37 last year (¢ per lb.)  
Production up 5.2% from last week; up 3.2% from last year.  
Avg. Weight down 0.05 lbs. from last week at 5.35 lbs.

### Turkeys

Supply Offerings were limited.  
Demand Light.  
Sentiment Steady.  
Price (Hen) 66.20 this week; 66.90 last week; 66.70 last year (¢ per lb.)  
Production down 4.9% from last week; up 2.1% from last year.  
Weight (Hen) up 0.38 lbs. from last week at 16.00 lbs.

### Table Eggs

Supply Fully adequate to mostly ample for full trade needs.  
Demand Slow to moderate.  
Sentiment Barely steady to weak.  
Price (NY Lrg) 55-59; down 13 from last week; down 18 from last year (¢/doz.)  
Inventory up 7% from last week at 1,160,700 (30-dozen cases).

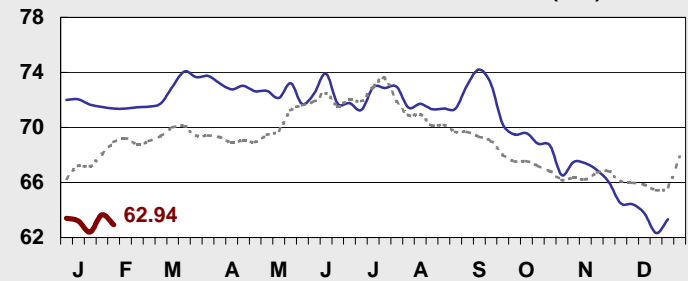
### Breaking Stock

Supply Adequate to fully adequate.  
Demand Slow to instances fairly good.  
Sentiment Weak.  
Price (Central) 24-26; down 2-4 from last week; down 6-7 from last year (¢/doz.)  
Cases Broken up 1% from last week at 1,283,848 (30-dozen cases)

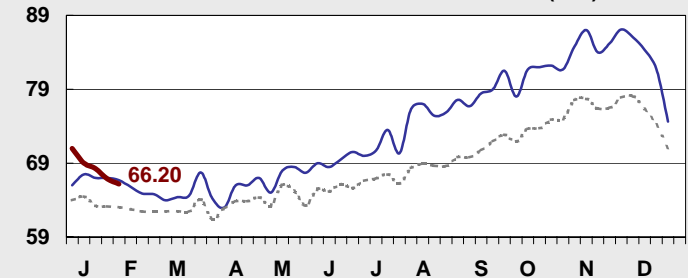
### Canner Fowl

Supply Generally adequate for current trade needs.  
Demand Generally fair for light canners.  
Sentiment Steady.  
Price Light Type 24.50 - 25.50¢ per lb. dressed weight w/o freight cost.  
Production down 6.0% from last week; up 7.2% from last year.  
Avg. Weight up 0.01 lbs. from last week at 3.34 lbs.

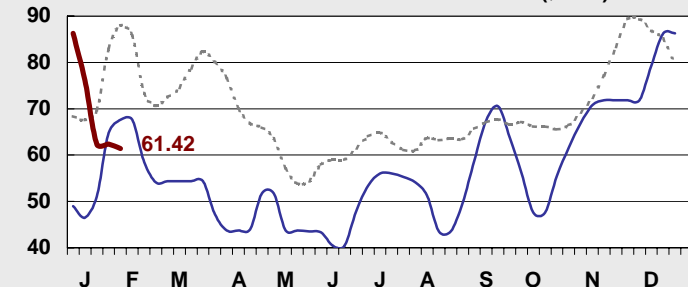
WKLY NAT'L COMPOSITE RTC BROILERS (¢/lb)



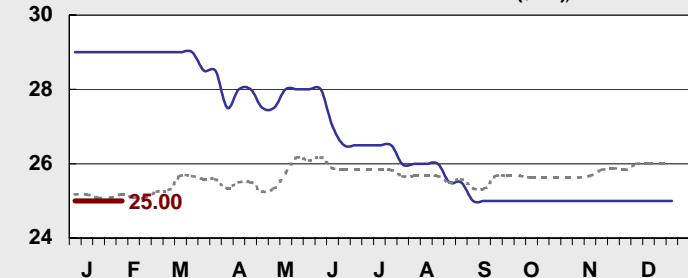
EASTERN WKLY WTD AVG HEN TURKEY (¢/lb)



COMBINED REGIONAL WHITE LRG EGGS (¢/doz)



WKLY NAT'L LIGHT CANNER FOWL (¢/lb)



Legend:

2006

2005

Prior 3 Year Avg.